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### Chase,

I notified my client by email that he should bring ID and he has informed me that he will not agree to that, but can identify himself by other means, including through showing his videos. I am sorry I spoke too soon on the phone but after a call with Sean he cannot consent to being forced to show ID to law enforcement. I'm around for a few more minutes if you'd like to talk on the phone.

#### Andrew

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Thank you Chase. I have informed my client to be sure to bring ID when he presents at precincts to exercise his right to record.

Thank you,

**Andrew** 

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Hi Andrew.

Just to memorialize my understanding, Mr. Reyes will provide photo ID when he arrives at any precincts while this appeal is pending.

Have a good weekend,

Chase

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Many thanks, Andrew. We're going to try you now at the number below.

As to the oral argument, hate to be a nitpick, but your words (at 15:08) were: "We also think there are prudential concerns there in terms of identifying him and so on." But let's discuss over the phone, as you proposed.

Chase

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Chase and Mark,

I am happy to talk on the phone between now and 5pm. I have texted with Sean and he is not willing to provide notice prior to going to a precinct. As you may recall, when the city first sought a two-week implementation stay, he consented on the condition that he be allowed to record in the 075 for one day. The city nevertheless sought an order barring even that. (The recording itself went off without incident.)

I can speak on the phone about possible identification, although given how well known Mr. Reyes is to the department I don't see why it's necessary.

My concerns about the prudential implementation was not about whether the NYPD would recognize Mr. Reyes but about what would happen when other people try to record based on the fact that the court's holding that the policy is unlawful was left undisturbed.

Let me know if you'd like to talk,

Andrew

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Hi Andrew and Meena,

To effectively implement the order, which has now been narrowed to a single individual, officers will need to be able to confirm Reyes' identity. We have no basis to presume that Mr. Reyes will be known to the officers who interact with him. In fact, both parties noted at oral argument that there are likely to be some issues identifying Mr. Reyes when he seeks to record while the stay is in effect as to the rest of the public.

In order for things to proceed as smoothly as possible, I think it would be helpful to come to an agreement amongst ourselves so that the district court doesn't have to get involved in the fine-tuning process. We'd like Mr. Reyes to provide at least 24 hours' notice to the NYPD's legal bureau about where he plans to record, so that when he arrives, the officers will be in a position to allow him to record once he presents photo identification.

If you have other ideas, let's please discuss. I'll be available for the rest of the day and over the weekend to further correspond on this.

Thanks, Chase

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He is pretty well known to the department and will likely travel with a copy of the injunction, as he has in the past.

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Andrew,

Given the Second Circuit's decision, what are your thoughts on some parameters that will enable NYPD precincts to know that Mr. Reyes is coming, as opposed to someone else?

Thanks,

Mark

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Mark and Chase,

Back when we first filed at the second circuit we agreed that the city would have 48 hours to implement after any order and we of course will honor that. Sean will not film in lobbies before Sunday at 12:40 pm.

Let me know if you'd like to discuss anything regarding the case.

Best,

Andrew

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